

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT

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At the end of subtitle A of title XVI, insert the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE REPORT ON SPACE**
2 **DOMAIN AWARENESS.**

3 (a) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-
4 gress that—

5 (1) the gaps, inefficiencies, and lack of space
6 domain awareness within the Department of Defense
7 and Intelligence Community are concerning;

8 (2) Space Force’s current space domain aware-
9 ness efforts, including: space control technology, De-
10 fense Counterspace, Offensive Counterspace, and
11 Space Situational Awareness activities is supported
12 by Congress; and

13 (3) space domain awareness capabilities should
14 be redundant to mitigate against threats and short-
15 comings to the space domain awareness enterprise.

16 (b) SPACE DOMAIN AWARENESS REPORT.—The As-
17 sistant Secretary of the Air Force for Space Acquisition,
18 in coordination with the Director of the National Recon-

1 naissance Office and Commander of the U.S. Space Com-
2 mand, shall submit a report to the House Committee on
3 Armed Services not later than December 31, 2022, on a
4 detailed funding, development, procurement, and launch
5 plan to deploy an alternative space domain awareness con-
6 stellation that leverages optical sensor data from domestic,
7 commercial small satellites in geosynchronous orbit and
8 how such data may be integrated into existing operational
9 decision-making tactics, techniques, and procedures.

